TEAM Leafy Spurge demonstration assessment, Medora N.D.

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Abstract:
TEAM Leafy Spurge demonstrations are an important link between research and managers. The Medora N.D. demonstrations included grazing treatments, biological control releases and herbicide applications. Our objective was to collect data to determine the outcome of, and evaluate the demonstration treatments. The grazing demonstration was conducted at two sites and had 4 grazing treatments consisting of cattle and sheep grazing in season long pastures or rotation grazing. Aphthona flea beetles were also released in the pastures.